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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director/Intelligence

SUBJECT: Bibliography of Material on the Upper
Nile Waters

1. In response to your request of last week for a bibliography of available material on the upper Nile waters, we have undertaken a quick survey within CIA and among other offices of the Government where such material might be found. The results of this survey are contained in the attached bibliography and, as you suggested, we have included a few samples of some of the more interesting current reports. There is a wealth of material on this subject, as you thought there would be. However, we have not been able to locate a map which we feel would be adequate in terms of scale and illustration for use by the DCI. The Geographic Division can, of course, prepare such a map if you feel it would be worth while. As a substitute, we have enclosed a section of the National Geographic map which covers this area as well as a map covering "Irrigable Areas from the Nile in the Sudan." The latter is the only copy we have available and, if possible, we would like to have it returned.
2. I am sure you saw the article in the OCI Weekly of 31 January 1957 on the "Nile water conflict." This contained a very good schematic diagram of the upper Nile waters which I have also enclosed.

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Acting Assistant Director
Research and Reports

Attachments:

1. Subject Bibliography
2. Schematic map of Nile Basin from OCI Weekly of 31 January 1957
3. Report on Hydrological Investigations by H. M. Hurst, with copy 1 only
4. Map of Irrigable Areas from the Nile in the Sudan, with copy 1 only

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